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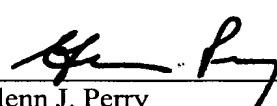
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Relevance of the non-English language reference is discussed in the present specification and/or in the attached Background Art Information Sheet.

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**Foreign Patent Documents**

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Copy of reference: **attached**

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Concise Explanation of Pertinency: **This publication is referred to in the specification. See page 2, line 26.**

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